

I hope the American public and the press corps, which really determines our agenda, pay a little bit more attention to all the unaccompanied minors streaming across the southern border without parents, maybe never to see their parents again.

Who knows what people are doing with them, human trafficked or whatever, but that is what we do right now. Johnny shows up with a note on his shirt: Deliver me to 123 Elm Street, Portland, Oregon.

Yes, sir. We don't ask where your parents are. We are going to deliver him wherever you want. I hope the American public is concerned about that.

Finally, I think, particularly in the days of Joe Biden, where he is trying to hire so many more bureaucrats to administer affirmative action sort of programs, why don't we ask some questions about this, about this program? Who benefits? Do they benefit? Does it affect the overall quality of work in some areas in America?

I think we ought to have that discussion. I know the Supreme Court is having that discussion, but it affects, like I said, a lot more than admissions to school. It affects hiring, both in the private sector and public sector, and it affects government contracting, as well.

Three topics for the press if they are paying attention.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SPEAKER

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

WASHINGTON, DC,
March 10, 2023.

I hereby designate the period from Monday, March 13, 2023, through Tuesday, March 21, 2023, as a "district work period" under section 3(z) of House Resolution 5.

KEVIN MCCARTHY,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Cheryl L. Johnson, Clerk of the House, reported and found truly an enrolled joint resolution of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.J. Res. 26. Joint Resolution disapproving the action of the District of Columbia Council in approving the Revised Criminal Code Act of 2022.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. GROTHMAN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 1 o'clock and 5 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Tuesday, March 14, 2023, at 4 p.m.

OATH FOR ACCESS TO CLASSIFIED INFORMATION

Under clause 13 of rule XXIII, the following Member executed the oath for access to classified information:

Jennifer L. McClellan

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

EC-576. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Office of Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule — Adjustable Rate Mortgages: Transitioning From LIBOR to Alternate Indices [Docket No.: FR-6151-F-03] (RIN: 2502-AJ51) received March 8, 2023, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

EC-577. A letter from the President, transmitting notification that the national emergency with respect to Iran that was declared by Executive Order 12957, on March 15, 1995, is to continue in effect beyond March 15, 2023, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622(d); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 202(d); (90 Stat. 1257) (H. Doc. No. 118—15); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed.

EC-578. A letter from the Chief, Trade and Commercial Regulations Branch, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Extension of Import Restrictions Imposed on Certain Archaeological Material of Belize [CBP: Dec. 23-02] (RIN: 1515-AE78) received March 3, 2023, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Ms. DELAURO (for herself, Mr. JEFFRIES, Mr. AGUILAR, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. HOYER, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Ms. SPANBERGER, Ms. ADAMS, Ms. SALINAS, Ms. CRAIG, Ms. KUSTER, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. PRESSLEY, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. BALINT, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Ms. PETTERSEN, Ms. PINGREE, Ms. HOULAHAN, Ms. BUSH, Mrs. DINGELL, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Ms. ROSS, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. TITUS, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. NORTON, Ms. SLOTKIN, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Ms. MENG, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Ms. STEVENS, Ms. SCHOLTEN, Ms. OMAR, Mrs. HAYES, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. CROCKETT, Ms. WEXTON, Ms. TOKUDA, Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. CHU, Ms. BROWNLEY, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. MANNING, Ms. PORTER, Ms. SCHRIER, Ms. UNDERWOOD, Ms. SANCHEZ, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mrs. FLETCHER, Ms. LOIS FRANKEL of Florida, Mrs. TRAHAN, Mrs. MCBATH, Ms. DEAN of Pennsylvania, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. PEREZ, Ms. STRICKLAND, Ms. SCANLON, Ms. WATERS, Ms. STANSBURY, Ms. SHERRILL, Ms. BARRAGAN, Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia, Ms. BUDZINSKI, Mrs. TORRES of Cali-

fornia, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Ms. JAYAPAL, Ms. TLAIB, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Ms. JACOBS, Ms. DAVIDS of Kansas, Mrs. CHERFILUS-MCCORMICK, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. BROWN, Ms. PLASKETT, Ms. LEE of Pennsylvania, Ms. WILD, Mrs. LEE of Nevada, Ms. DELBENE, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. KAMLAGER-DOVE, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Ms. LEGER FERNANDEZ, Ms. SEWELL, Ms. HOYLE of Oregon, Mrs. FOUSHEE, Ms. ESCOBAR, Ms. CARAVEO, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. BERA, Mr. CARSON, Mr. KIM of New Jersey, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. DELUZIO, Mr. ALLRED, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. SOTO, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. TRONE, Mr. PHILLIPS, Mr. KILMER, Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. NORCROSS, Mr. BEYER, Mr. EVANS, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. SORESENSEN, Mr. SWALWELL, Mr. MRVAN, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. IVEY, Mr. CASAR, Mr. STANTON, Mr. SABLAN, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. AUCHINCLOSS, Mr. BOWMAN, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. GOLDEN of Maine, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. MOSKOWITZ, Mr. CROW, Mr. NADLER, Mr. GARCIA of Illinois, Mr. COSTA, Mr. HIMES, Mr. GOMEZ, Mr. PANETTA, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. NEGUSE, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. MORELLE, Mr. GOTTHEIMER, Mr. HARDER of California, Mr. VARGAS, Mrs. SYKES, Mr. MULLIN, Mr. MFUME, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. VEASEY, Mr. DESAULNIER, Mr. POCAN, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Mr. FROST, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. MCGARVEY, Mr. RYAN, Mr. TONKO, Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. NEAL, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. TORRES of New York, Mr. KHANNA, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. ROBERT GARCIA of California, Mr. GALLEGO, Mr. CARBAJAL, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CASTEN, Mr. MOULTON, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. COHEN, Mr. HORSFORD, Mr. LIEU, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. CARTER of Louisiana, Mr. VICENTE GONZALEZ of Texas, Mr. NICKEL, Mr. KEATING, Mr. THANEDAR, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mrs. MCCLELLAN, and Mr. CORREA):

H.R. 17. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide more effective remedies to victims of discrimination in the payment of wages on the basis of sex, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. CURTIS (for himself and Mr. NEGUSE):

H.R. 1527. A bill to improve access for outdoor recreation through the use of special recreation permits on Federal recreational lands and waters, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined